RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE EXAMINING GROUP 1648

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	Lyons et al.) <u>PATENT</u>
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Serial No.:	10/732,862) Attorney Docket
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For:	STABILIZED IMMUNOGENIC)
	HBc CHIMER PARTICLES)
) Group Art No.
) 1648
Examiner:	Bo Peng)

REPLY AND AMENDMENTS

MAIL STOP AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Final Action mailed on July 22, 2008, for with an RCE and a Petition for an Extension of Time and its required fee are enclosed, please amend the above-identified application as follows: